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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :

Thomas J. MONICA et al.

Group Art Unit: 1632

Serial No.: 10/085,029

Examiner: TBA

Filed: March 1, 2002

For: CONCENTRATION AND LYSIS OF ADENOVIRUS-INFECTED CELLS IN A  
SINGLE UNIT OPERATION

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-referenced application as indicated below:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

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--This application claims priority of Provisional Application U.S. Ser. No. 60/272,034,  
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